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A Pleasant Surprise.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Leinweber Saturday night, October 16, 1915.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Leinweber and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Leinweber and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hardt and children, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Leinweber and children, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Weynand and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Frerichs and children, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Oefinger and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Neihof and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schlenz, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Moehring, Mrs. Katie Leinweber and Mrs. Schroeder, Misses Ida, Ella and Dora Frerichs, Dora Balzon, Ida Wiemers, Edith Cameron, Emma, Jane, Helma and Hulda Leinweber, Ida Reitzer, Josie Moehring, Annie, Christina and Olga Saathoff, Hulda Schulte and Hulda Hartman, Messrs. Willie Bohmfalk, Oscar Moehring, Edgar Stiegler, Frank Westfall, John Callahan, Willie Leinweber, Walter Winkler, Fritz Hartman, Ernest Weynand, Albert Saathoff, Alfred Schulte, Otto Reitzer, Mimie, and Otto Wiemers, Robert Neitenhoefer, Fritz, Louis and Otto Graff, and Willie Schlenz.

At 12 o'clock delicious cakes and coffee were served, and two kegs of buttermilk were on tap.

At 4 o'clock the strains of "Home Sweet Home" sent everybody home happy, wishing to have another such a grand time soon.

ONE OF THE CROWD.

Hondo High School vs. Pearsall.

The first football game of the season on the local gridiron will be pulled off at de Montel Athletic Park at 1 o'clock this afternoon when the crack Pearsall football team will meet the team of the Hondo High School.

The Hondo team has been practicing assiduously and is in fine shape and a battle royal is predicted by those who are posted as to the merits of the opposing teams.

This being the first match game of the season the local team is extremely anxious to win, and a great game—a game that will arouse the enthusiasm of all those who are fond of athletics and that means the majority of the people of Hondo—so turn out in force and root for the local team.

The home team has several games scheduled, and as there is always some expense attached to these contests it is hoped that the team will receive sufficient financial support to enable it to stay in the game until the end of the season. The aid given our base ball team enabled it to become the winning team of this section of West Texas. Equal consideration shown the football team of the Hondo High School will, we believe, result in another winning team having its domicile in Hondo.

The game will start at four o'clock. Turn out and encourage the boys to do their utmost by your presence and sympathy.

Junior Farmers Organized.

Pleasanton, Tex., Oct. 21.—Fletcher Davis, field agent of the Department of Agriculture, spoke to the students at the High School this morning on agricultural topics and organized the agricultural classes into a Junior Farmers' Institute.

The following students were elected officers of the organization: John Wilder, president; Nathan Goodwin, vice-president; Miss Nellie Reed, secretary, and Robert Hather, entomologist.

The Pleasanton High School is an agricultural high school, has a school garden and, under the management of Superintendent C. R. Guhl and Professor J. H. Hinds, the agricultural teacher, is doing some splendid work along the lines of agricultural education. —San Antonio Express.

The Philathea Class.

The Philathea Class met with Mrs. Carle on the afternoon of October 19th. A short business session was held, and it was decided that we meet only once a month during the winter months.

After the business was attended to, an interesting lesson was discussed by all present.

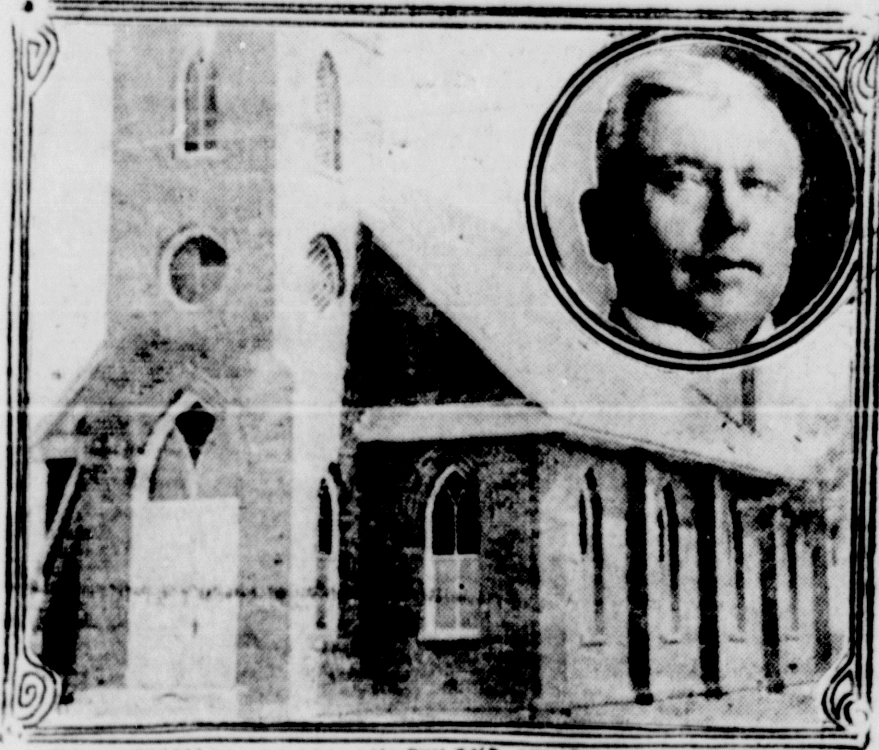
There were sixteen members and six visitors present.

The hostesses served delicious cake and chocolate cream at the conclusion of the lesson.

The class will meet Nov. 16th for the next meeting.

REPORTER.

Annual Mission Services to be Held at the Lutheran Church Tomorrow



NEW GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH AND ITS PASTOR, REV. A. FALKENBERG.

Next Sunday the St. Paul's Lutheran congregation will celebrate its annual Mission Festival. The Rev. Mr. A. H. Falkenberg of Brenham, Texas, son of the Rev. A. Falkenberg, the pastor, will fill the pulpit in the morning and afternoon.

The morning service will be held in the German, and the afternoon service

in the English language. Come and hear him. He will deliver interesting sermons.

The pastor heartily requests his dear flock to be present.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

A. FALKENBERG,
Lutheran Pastor.

Junior Class Meets.

The Junior class met with Miss Ruth Chancy Friday evening Oct. 15. All the juniors were present, and also Mr. Willingham and Miss Lewis.

After the evening had been spent in a number of entertaining contests and games, together with some music, refreshments of punch and cake were served, which were very delicious.

At a late hour, the guests departed expressing the fact that they had enjoyed the evening immensely.

CONTRIBUTED.

Preaches Farewell Sermon Sunday



REV. L. H. HARBOARD.

Rev. L. H. Harboard, the pastor of the local Christian church, will hold his farewell services at that edifice tomorrow (Sunday) by preaching morning and night. The public is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Rev. Harboard has been appointed Christian Evangelist of this district and is, therefore, compelled to resign as pastor of the local Christian church, which position he has held for several years and has given entire satisfaction to the congregation and general public.

We are very pleased over Brother Harboard's appointment—which is quite a promotion, and comes as a reward for faithful and valuable services rendered—but we are, indeed, sorry to lose him. He is a good man with a winning and agreeable personality, a logical talker and an earnest, forceful advocate of the word of God. He is well and favorably known to Hondo people and numbers his friends by his acquaintances.

Come out to both services Sunday and hear his sermons. If you don't you will miss a theological and oratorical treat.

Court House News.

BIRTHS

Births registered during the month of September, 1915:

Feb. 3, 1915, daughter to J. N. Herderson and wife.

Feb. 16, 1915, son to J. W. Mangum and wife.

Feb. 19, 1915, son to Louis Stiegler and wife.

May 17, 1915, daughter to Willie H. Britsch and wife.

May 26, 1915, son to Will Breiten and wife.

June 14, 1915, son to John Finger and wife.

July 12, 1915, son to T. B. Holloway and wife.

Aug. 9, 1915, daughter to Ed. Fuller and wife (colored.)

Aug. 14, 1915, son to John H. Wiemers and wife.

Aug. 15, 1915, daughter to Ed. J. Bendele and wife.

Aug. 31, 1915, daughter to O. H. Miller and wife.

Aug. 31, 1915, son to Fritz Saathoff and wife.

Sept. 1, 1915, son to John Conrad and wife.

Sept. 2, 1915, son to Alex Hitzfelder and wife.

Sept. 3, 1915, son to F. W. Oefinger and wife.

Sept. 4, 1915, son to Joseph Tondre and wife.

Sept. 6, 1915, son to Will J. Ney and wife.

Sept. 10, 1915, daughter to Albert Geaut and wife.

Sept. 13, 1915, son to Willie J. Saathoff and wife.

Sept. 14, 1915, daughter to Louis Mehr and wife.

Sept. 15, 1915, daughter to Rafael Garcia and wife.

Sept. 18, 1915, son to Adolph Tschirhart and wife.

Sept. 20, 1915, son to Hugo Wurzbach and wife.

Sept. 18, 1915, son to Leo Bohl and wife.

Sept. 32, 1915, daughter to Herm. Bippert and wife.

Sept. 22, 1915, son to Walter Rudinger and wife.

Sept. 26, 1915, daughter to Frank Brown and wife.

Sept. 26, 1915, daughter to Sim Harris and wife (colored.)

Sept. 27, 1915, daughter to Virgil Franklin and wife (colored.)

Sept. 27, 1915, daughter to Evans Thomas and wife (colored.)

Sept. 29, 1915, daughter to Jacob Hutzler and wife.

DEATHS.

Deaths reported during same month:

Aug. 31, 1915, Alton Clarence Jungman, white male, Castroville, 6 years old; cause of death, acute pleurisy, followed by empyema.

Sept. 3, 1915, Mrs. Mary Mueller, white female, Castroville, 48 years old; cause of death, chronic nephritis.

Sept. 15, 1915, Miss Margareta Herada, Mexican female, Castroville, 24 years and 3 days old; cause of death,

tuberculosis pulmonary.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Following is a list of the marriage licenses issued during the month of September:

Francisco Flores and Christina C. Villa.

Melchor G. Garcia and Inocencia Zapata.

J. F. Fohn and Ella Harris.

Elmore Ellis and Julia Pierce (colored.)

Paul F. Christilles and Magdalena M. Mechler.

Robt. E. Callahan and Ina McClain.

Albert L. Mangold and Koloma Collins.

Harrison G. Wilson, Jr. and Maggie O. McCaughan.

C. T. Wiemers and Emma Neuman.

Leopoldo Elquezabol and Maria I. Aleman.

Vicente Davilla and Genaveva Carasta.

Willis C. Griffin and Dora B. Warden.

Eugene F. Mofield and Nita Bradley.

Charley Burrell and Helen M. Mehr.

AUTOMOBILES REGISTERED.

Automobiles registered since our last report:

No. 453. Wm. F. Tampke, Saxon, Hondo, September 10, 1915.

No. 454. C. J. Haby, Studebaker, Riomedina, September 21, 1915.

No. 455. Joe Koch, Overland, D'Hanis, September 25, 1915.

No. 456. Fritz Frerichs, Buick, Hondo, September 25, 1915.

No. 457. C. A. Oefinger, Buick, Quibi, September 27, 1915.

No. 458. Louis Decker, Buick, Hondo, September 27, 1915.

No. 459. Isidor Haby, Dodge, Riomedina, September 28, 1915.

No. 460. Toby Koch, Saxon, Hondo, September 30, 1915.

No. 461. Henry Decker, Case, Hondo, September, 1915.

DEEDS FILED.

The following real estate transfers have been filed for record since our last report:

L. F. Faseler to John G. Faseler, September 1, 1915, deed to about 163 acres out of survey 504, No. A. A. Lacoste, \$4,405.

L. F. Faseler to Henry Faseler, September 1, 1915, deed to 170 acres out of survey No. 804, A. A. Lacoste, \$2,550.

I. N. Johnson to T. M. Johnson, September 7, 1915, deed to about 794 acres out of survey Nos. 486 and 486 1-2 in names of J. Laver and Thos. Taylor, \$6,000.

Theresa Spettie et al. to G. & H. Hagelstein, August 16, 1915, deed to 424 acres out of surveys Nos. 45, 454 and 454, in names of B. Odium, E. Cordier and J. Haby, \$10 and other valuable consideration.

W. M. Burnside to C. W. Moore, September 14, 1915, deed to lots 9 and 10, out of survey No. 188, town of Hondo, \$225.

Henry Buss and wife to J. H. Meyers and wife, September 14, 1915, deed to 60 acres out of survey No. 74, Jacob Solms, \$3,250.

Henry Buss and wife to J. H. Meyers, September 14, 1915, deed to 26 acres out of survey No. 74, Jacob Solms, \$1,050.

J. H. Meyers and wife to Henry Buss, September 14, 1915, deed to 2 acres out of survey No. 187, A. Gsell, Hondo, \$3,250.

J. H. Meyers and wife to Henry Buss, September 14, 1915, deed to 68-100 of an acre of land out of survey No. 187, A. Gsell, \$1 and other consideration.

John F. Enderle and wife to estate of August C. Rothe, Sr., deceased, September 14, 1915, deed to 34 acres out of survey No. 438, J. McGinnis, D'Hanis, \$5,000.

Thomas Chambers to Mrs. E. Ridgeway, September 13, 1915, deed to lot No. 3, block No. 51, Natalia, \$1,100.

Mrs. J. S. Carr et al. to Romigio Ferretti, August 7, 1915, deed to lot 8, block 8, Coal Mine Camp, \$75.

Antonio Espinosa to R. Ferretti, July 31, 1915, deed to lot 1, block 7, Coal Mine Camp, \$55.

Alois Haby to Alexander Walton, trustee, September 11, 1915, deed to about 12.5 acres out of survey Nos. 327, 398 and 68, \$1,000 (toll road.)

C. Schuchart to Alex. Walton, trustee, September 8, 1915, deed to 17.1 acres out of surveys Nos. 265, 41, 42 and 42 1-2, for use of toll road.

F. P. Seekatz to Alex. Walton, trustee, August 14, 1915, deed to 4.5 acres out of surveys Nos. 68, 79 1-2 and 79 1-3, for use of toll road.

MONEY TO LOAN!

on Farms and Ranches. Also Bargains in City and Town Property. Fine Hotel Property at a Bargain. Apply to W. B. ODOM, HONDO, TEXAS

AUCTION SALE!

I will sell at Public Auction at 10 o'clock a. m., sharp

Thursday, Oct. 28

Horses, Mules, two good Milch Cows, Farm Implements and Vehicles, Corn and Corn Fodder, Chickens, etc., at my Place.

Free Barbecued Goat will be served for dinner.

F. H. BOHLEN

WHY NOT A FORD

Mr. Robert Reitzer took exception to the "pome" by an anonymous writer, entitled "My Auto 'Tis of Thee", which appeared in this paper a few weeks ago, and advises him to buy a Ford. The following is Mr. Reitzer's reply to the man with tribulations:

WHY NOT A FORD?

By ROBERT REITZER

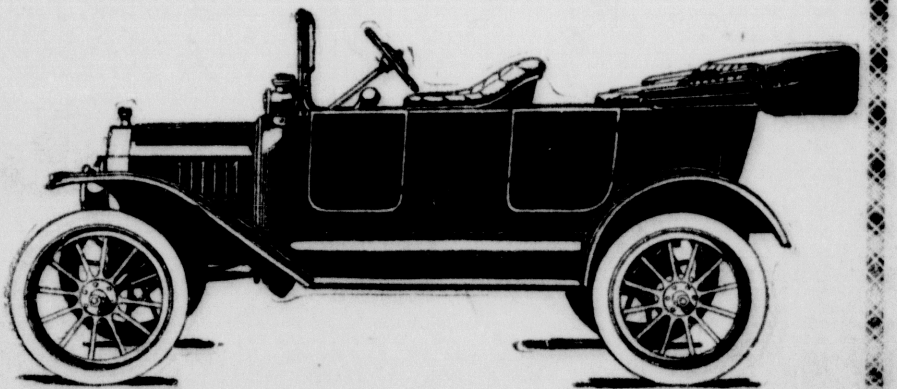
Author, unknown to me, of "My Auto 'Tis of Thee" You flew sky-high! You spent a pile of mon' On scrap, for car 'tis none. And now what's quite common You'd like to cry!

Were you a smarter guy You'd know what car to buy--- Why not a Ford?

There are no puzzles and frills And no expensive bills To produce those harrowing chills; It has your's scored!

O'er hill and muddy road It pulls with ease its load, And will pass by Your worn-out rattle box As if 'twere an ox, You bet your bottom socks!

So why not buy a



SOLD BY

Hondo Auto Sales Company

Citation By Publication.

I. N. Johnson
vs.
No. 1775
Unknown Heirs of Paget Halpin, et al.
In the District Court, 38th Judicial District of Texas, for Medina county.
The State of Texas, to the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina county, Greeting:

You are hereby Commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Medina once in each week for eight consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon the heirs of the heirs of the said Paget Halpin, whose names and residences are unknown to plaintiff herein, to be and appear at the next regular term of the Honorable District court of the 38th Judicial District of Texas, held in and for Medina county to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the town of Hondo on the eighth Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1915, the same being the first day of November, A. D. 1915, then and there to answer plaintiff's original petition filed in said Court on the first day of September, A. D. 1915, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 1775, wherein I. N. Johnson is plaintiff, and the heirs of Paget Halpin, and the unknown heirs of the heirs of the said Paget Halpin, are defendants; the nature of plaintiff's demand being substantially as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff sues defendants in trespass to try title to recover the property hereinafter described; plaintiff alleging briefly, that on the 3d day of July, A. D. 1915, he was seized and possessed and entitled to the possession of said land and premises, holding and owning the same in fee simple; that on August 3d, 1915, defendants unlawfully entered upon said land and premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and still unlawfully withhold from plaintiff the possession thereof, to his damage \$5,000.00; that the land and premises withheld by defendants from plaintiff and for the recovery of which plaintiff sues, is described as follows, that is to say:

Situated in Medina county, Texas, known as Survey No. 486, on the waters of Deer Creek, a tributary of Arroyo Seco and Rio River, about 16 miles S. 45 deg. W. from Hondo City, by virtue of Bounty Certificate No. 228, issued to Thomas Taylor by Richard E. Bee, Secretary of War, February 9, 1898; beginning at a stake the S. S. cor. of a 320 ac. No. 486 in sec. 6, made for Jos. Leyer for the S. W. 1/4 of this sur., a mesq. 6 inches brs. S. 64 deg. E. 31 vrs., another mesq. 4 inches, brs. S. 89 deg., E. 55 vrs.; thence E. 1344 vrs. to a stk. and md. for the N. E. cor. of No. 1109, a mesq. 1/2 inches S. 16 1/2 W. 10 vrs. mesq. 7 inches, N. 33 deg., W. 18 1/2 vrs.; thence E. 1344 vrs. to a stk. for N. E. cor.; thence W. 1344 vrs. to a stk. for the S. E. cor. of sur. No. 486, sec. 6 and the N. W. cor. of this sur. a mesq. 8 inches brs. S. 18 deg. E. 15 vrs. and

other 7 inches, brs. N. 35 deg. W. 16 vrs.; thence S. with E. side of No. 486 1344 vrs. to the place of beginning. That the aforesaid tract of land was purchased by plaintiff from the Virgil A. Johnson heirs on the 2d day of July, A. D. 1915, which deed is duly recorded in the deed records of Medina county, Texas, Book No. 51, page 231, and by which deed plaintiff acquired the title to said land and premises. That said Virgil A. Johnson died intestate leaving certain persons his heirs at law; that said plaintiff was one of said heirs and that his co-heirs conveyed said tract of land to him; that plaintiff's ancestor, V. A. Johnson, acquired said land about twenty years ago at a tax sale.

In addition to alleging that plaintiff is the true and lawful owner in fee simple of said premises, plaintiff seeks to recover said land and premises by virtue of the statutes of limitations of five, ten and twenty years, respectively. That the claim of said defendants to said tract of land is unknown to plaintiff further than the fact that the said defendants, according to the records of Medina county, Texas, are asserting, or pretending to assert, a title to said premises, for in this they have caused to be issued and placed of record in the deed records of Medina county, Texas, a patent from the State of Texas, No. 614, Vol. 16, dated December 13, 1906; said patent is issued by the State of Texas to the heirs of Paget Halpin, and is for said survey of land.

Wherefore plaintiff prays for judgment against said defendants for the title to, and possession of, said land and premises, decreeing that all the right, title and interest of said defendants in and to said land and premises, be cancelled, and that the same be divested out of them, and each of them, and be duly vested in plaintiff; that plaintiff have judgment against said defendants herein for the recovery of said land and premises and for their restitution to plaintiff, for his damages, and all costs of suit; and plaintiff prays for such other judgment and decree as the facts may warrant, and for general relief; all of which will more fully appear by reference to plaintiff's said original petition, now on file in my office.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of the next regular term thereof this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in the town of Hondo this, the second day of September, A. D. 1915.

Issued September 2d, 1915.
[L. S.] AUGUST KEMPF,
Clerk District Court, Medina County, Texas.

Came to hand on September 2d, A. D. 1915, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., and publication of the above Citation ordered made in the Hondo Anvil Herald.
J. F. BADER,
Sheriff of Medina County, Texas.
By WESLEY FAVOR, Deputy.

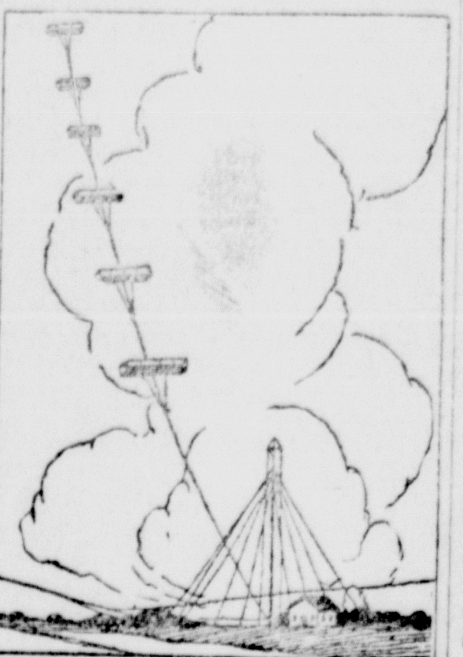
KITES AID WIRELESS

Successful Experiments Made by Signal Corps.

Marked Increase in Efficiency Obtained by the Use of the Flyers—Further Tests to Be Made Along Same Line.

A series of remarkably successful and interesting experiments were conducted by the United States signal corps at the recent maneuvering in Massachusetts in maintaining a wireless aerial by means of box kites and thereby increasing the efficiency of an ordinary field wireless outfit from six to sixteen times. The tests were conducted by Samuel F. Perkins, a maker and flyer of man-lifting kites.

Favorable strong and steady winds enabled Mr. Perkins to send up a



string of kites to an altitude of 1,600 feet. Messages transmitted from the set of field wireless attached to this kite-supported aerial were received 150 miles away with distinctness, although the ordinary range of the set was only 25 miles. One thing that aided materially in obtaining this result was the fact that the kites flew so steadily that the aerial was always maintained at a constant altitude.

Quite as remarkable as the sending power of the wireless was its receiving quality. Messages were received with distinctness from the battleship Georgia while off Newport and from the government station at Arlington, Va., and Bermuda.

These experiments were but the first of a long series that will be conducted, and it is the belief of those who are interested in the matter that they will lead to a system by which the range of the ordinary field wireless will be materially increased. United States government and Marconi officials are following the experiments closely.—Scientific American.

Wanted—A Southerner.

He was a good-looking young negro whose clothes gave no indication that he was out of a job.

He entered the Enquirer office at the moment the staff was taking the relaxation which follows the completion of the last edition to the press.

Said the young negro: "Kin yo' gommen tell me whether tha's a suth'en gemman anywah 'round heah?"

"What's the matter with a northern gemman?" inquired the staff member.

"Boss," answered the young negro, "Ah jus' got in fum Georgy. Ah'm hungry. 'F Ah kin fin' a gemman fum down Souf he'll help me out."

Maybe that's a new one. Possibly it's a late and neat way to make a raise. But if the young negro was on the level, and he looked it, the South received its handsomest compliment in these parts in many a day.—Buffalo Enquirer.

Another "Peach" of a Peach Story.

Brown, Bartholomew and Johnson counties all combined make this story. Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Davis live on a farm in the corner made by the three county lines. They have a peach tree on their place that has been acting in an unusual manner, and Mrs. Davis, who visited Columbus, Ind., recently brought along some proof. She had one twig from the tree on which there were 16 peaches, the combined weight of which was seven pounds. There was not another peach on the tree, but the one twig did nobly. Just a little distance from this tree there is another that is sending forth its second crop of peaches, and nearly all of the limbs now are full, the peaches being about the size of guinea eggs. On the Davis farm there also is a second crop of blackberries growing.—Indianapolis News.

Practicing Economy.

When the conversation turned to the subject of economy this little incident was related by Congressman Charles H. Burke of South Dakota: Jenkins was sitting in front of the firehouse in a suburban town when a fellow-commuter came along and unreeling a dissertation on the high cost of living.

"Speaking of the high cost of living," responded Jenkins, "everything is economy down our way now. My wife is practicing it to beat the band."

"You don't mean it!" exclaimed the other. "In what way is she economizing?"

"She is economizing on my shirts," was the rejoinder of Jenkins. "She is buying me three for a dollar, so that she can get a \$15 hat."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Mending Curtains.

Try this method of mending lace curtains: After washing carefully, place curtain on frame. Take a needle and use thread according to curtain. Do not knot but tie end of thread to curtain and then proceed to weave in and out curtain as near like the pattern as you can. Small holes may be drawn together. For the larger holes you can readily see what is best to be done. If the curtain begins to dry just take a cloth wet in the starch and apply around the holes. When curtains are hung these places will hardly show.

Rice Chicken Pie.

Boil until tender one chicken or a good fowl, barely covering with water; remove and boil two cupfuls of rice in the same water; salt while boiling; put the rice into a dish and stir in one teaspoonful of butter, one and one-quarter cupfuls of hot milk and two beaten eggs; season with salt and pepper, put a layer of chicken in a baking dish and then a layer of rice, and so on, until the dish is full, having rice on top; dot with butter and bake till brown.

Celery Roast.

Toast neat slices of bread, butter and trim the crusts from them. Drain, dry and broil small oysters till their edges begin to curl, then spread them over the toast. Sprinkle with salt and cover thickly with finely chopped celery. Pour a cupful of hot cream sauce over the dish and place in the oven for a few moments. Serve very hot.

Apple Omelet.

To eight large apples stewed very soft and mashed fine, add one cupful of sugar and flavor with nutmeg or cinnamon. When cold stir in three well beaten eggs and one-half teaspoonful cornstarch dissolved in two tablespoonfuls of milk. Stir well and bake slowly for 20 minutes. Serve hot.

Green Corn Balls.

Grate enough corn from the cobs to make two cupfuls; into this stir a beaten egg, a teaspoonful each of sugar melted butter, with salt to taste. Add enough flour to enable you to form the mixture into balls; roll these in flour and fry in deep fat.

Household Hint.

After boiling salt beef leave two or three cooked carrots in the liquor until cold. The carrots will absorb the salt and the liquor will be clear.

This paper only \$1.00 a year. Try it



"Goodies!"

"—goodies that just melt in your mouth—light, fluffy, tender cakes, biscuits and doughnuts that just keep you hanging round the pantry—all made with Calumet—the safest, purest, most economical Baking Powder. Try it—drive away bake-day failures."

Received Highest Awards
New Cook Book Free—See Slip in Pocket Can.



Cheap and big can Baking Powders don't save you money. Calumet does—it's pure and far superior to your milk and soda.

More Than Enough is Too Much.

To maintain health, a mature man or woman needs just enough food to repair the waste and supply energy and body heat. The habitual consumption of more food than is necessary for these purposes is the prime cause of stomach troubles, rheumatism and disorders of the kidneys. If troubled with indigestion, revise your diet, let reason and not appetite control and take a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets and you will soon be all right again. For sale by All Dealers.

The old-fashioned hatchet which was sometimes buried has been superseded by the hammer which is always ready for use.

When the chest feels on fire and the throat burns, you have indigestion, and you need Heibine to get rid of the disagreeable feeling. It drives out badly digested food, strengthens the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

About the biggest liar in captivity is the fellow who confesses all of his past sins to his best girl.—Nashville Banner.

When your food does not digest well and you feel "blue," tired and discouraged, you should use a little Heibine at bedtime. It opens the bowels, purifies the system and restores a fine feeling of health and energy. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

When a mother lacks in skill she makes up in enthusiasm when she attempts to clip her boy's hair.

For Chapped Skin.

Chapped skin, whether on the hands or face may be cured in one night by applying Chamberlain's Salve. It is also unequalled for sore nipples, burns and scalds. For sale by All Druggists.

About the only use the world has for unimportant men is as door mats.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Child Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well-known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

About the only time a woman ever overlooks a bargain is when she selects a husband.

Stop coughing! you rack the lungs and worry the body. Ballard's Horehound Syrup checks irritation, heals the lungs and restores comfortable breathing. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

And a lot of people would rather believe a lie than the nude truth.—Chicago News.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. 25c.

It takes a conscientious man to enjoy his work if the remuneration is small.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head
Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of R. W. GROVE. 25c.

In the flower of her youth even a widow has her weeds.

Cure Old Sores, Other Remedies Won't Cure.
The worst cases, no matter how long standing, are cured by the wonderful, old reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. It relieves Pain and Heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, \$1.00

Many a man goes to law who never gets back.

Invigorating to the Pale and Sickly
The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILD TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

HONDO LAND COMPANY

Farms, Ranches
Town Property

HONDO, TEXAS

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

FOR
COUGHS, COLDS, CROUP,
WHOOPIING COUGH,
INFLUENZA, HOARSENESS,
AND BRONCHITIS
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NOT ENOUGH CHILDREN

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Fresh fruits and candies at Swearingin's Confectionery. 44-tf

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Buy Fisk—and run no risk, the tire of quality. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

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For Sale—Two lots in the Bless addition. Apply to M. Beal at the barber shop. 40-tf.

Dr. and Mrs. Liles and Mr. and Mrs. Oefinger were up from Yancey this week.

Ridiculously low prices on tires. See my stock, get the prices and be convinced. C. R. Gaines.

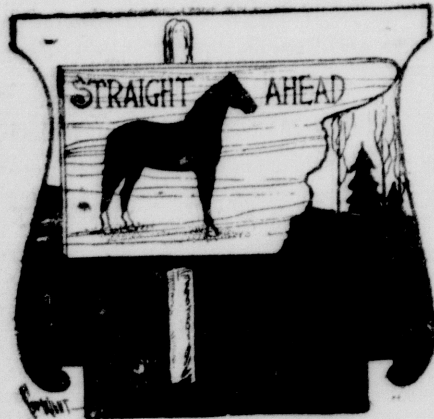
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Just received a large line of English and German made razors and pocket knives—extra good quality at prices lower than ever. C. R. Gaines.

Mrs. Arnold Rothe and sister, Miss Hadie Miller, returned Wednesday from San Antonio, where Mrs. Rothe had been undergoing an operation.

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Lorenz Rihn, of Castroville, has secured the agency for Medina county for the W. T. Rawleigh Medical Co's. Stock Remedies, such as Fly Chaser, Stock, Hog and Poultry Mixture, and many other products too numerous to mention. He will call on you all. Give him a trial. 52-tf.



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John Fohn was an appreciated caller at this office Saturday.

W. P. Laughinghouse was a business caller at this office Tuesday.

For Sale—A good piano on easy terms. Call at Windrow's drug store.

A marriage license was issued to Joseph J. Rihn and Miss Mary Biediger, October 18.

Hondo needs a dairy and it can't run without your patronage. This means you. Tom Heath. 40-tf.

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J. D. Burgin and two children of Luling came in Monday on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Neitenhoefer and children of New Fountain were visitors in San Antonio this week.

Buy Red Seal Batteries—they are guaranteed good. Fresh supply just received. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

For Sale—A choice corner lot in Fly Addition. For price see Mrs. Scraphin Keller or Fletcher Davis of the Hondo Land Co. 6-tf.

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Draughton's, the "Big School", San Antonio, are making a very special offer to those planning to enter Business College this winter. Ask for free catalogue.

Mail orders promptly attended to. Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a Drug store. W. B. Windrow, Prescription Druggist, Hondo.

The Airdome is now running the complete universal program, including the Broadway Star Features Mondays, "Diamond From the Sky" Tuesdays, "The Broken Coin" Fridays, and Universal Star Features Saturdays.

Invitations are out announcing the approaching marriage of Sr. Hefonso Barrientes and Srita. Eudelia Ortiz, which will be solemnized tomorrow. The groom is known to most of our readers as one of the vegetable vendors.

The Anvil Herald acknowledges receipt of the following: Mrs. Theresa Mangold requests the honor of your presence at the marriage of her daughter, Regina, to Albert E. Salzmann, Wednesday morning, October the twenty-seventh, Nineteen hundred and fifteen, at nine-thirty o'clock, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Lacoste, Texas.

A merry crowd of picnics, composed of members of the tenth and eleventh grades of the Hondo High School and some of the teachers spent last Saturday at the wide crossing on the Hondo in Rothe's pasture. An ideal day and an abundance of good things to eat, and a delightful auto trip made up a day that will long remain a delightful memory with those fortunate enough to be a member of the party.

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John Chick and Miss Vabara Bridges were granted a license to marry on October 16.

Louis Christilles of Del Rio visited relatives and old-time friends here this week.

Mrs. Herman Weynand went to D' Hanis Thursday on a visit to relatives and friends.

A large number of Hondoites enjoyed a dance out at Albert Neuman's farm Saturday night.

Rev. A. H. Falkenberg of Brenham is the guest of his father, Rev. A. Falkenberg, and family.

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Judge V. H. Blocker was a passenger east Wednesday—to San Antonio and possibly other points before returning.

Arthur and Frank Jungman came out Saturday from San Antonio, where they are attending school, to spend Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Jungman.

Sr. Verrabe Monibais and Srita. Francisca Cortez were happily "spliced" at the court house Thursday. Judge Lamm tied the nuptial knots hard and fast.

A total of nine car loads of freight were received in Hondo the past week, to-wit: 1 car of lumber, 2 cars of coal, 2 oil, 1 sugar, 1 apples, 1 one of sweet potatoes and 1 of beer.

In response to information that Santa Claus was to be in San Antonio F. A. Martin, of the Martin Drug Co., went to the city Thursday to interview him with regard to a stock of Christmas novelties.

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PERSONALS

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The Anvil Herald does job printing. Wizard Floor Mops. Holloway Bros. That Guaranteed Razor. Holloway Bros. Mention the Anvil Herald to our advertisers. Roif Baizen was here Saturday from Knippa on business. All kinds of fruits in season at Heyen's confectionery. All of the popular cold drinks at F. A. Heyen's Soda Fountain. Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week. A San Antonio Business College Scholarship for sale at this office. If Uncle Jimmie Anderson was a passenger to San Antonio Monday morning. H. V. Haass Jr., after spending Sunday with homefolks, returned to Noonan Monday. Rev. W. W. Nunn passed through Hondo Monday morning en route to the conference at San Angelo. Mrs. Albert Pichot left Saturday for Dallas for a visit to her sister, and incidentally to take in the Dallas fair. Don't forget Haralson's New Millinery Store will have on display Oct. 25, a beautiful line of new hats and trimmings direct from New York. 11-2t

Ben Schueling was a business caller at this office yesterday. Wm. A. Schmitt and son, Milton, autoed to D'Hanis yesterday. Geo. E. Schmidt and son, Ira, and Louis Mosfeld left Tuesday morning for a hunt in the Dilley country. The Leona Peach, just like the Elberta, but earlier and ten times as prolific a bearer. John A. Head, Bandera, Texas. 6-2m You had better place your order for one of those good Buicks, while you have a chance. They won't last long. C. R. Gaines. 8- We are sorry to learn that Mrs. R. E. Bohmfalk is confined to her room with typhoid fever. We trust she will speedily recover. Found—A set of harness on the Hondo-Utopia road. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice. Rev. John M. Alexander left Monday morning for San Angelo where he goes to attend the annual conference of the Methodist church. E. W. Martin, the picture show man, visited Castroville, Lacoste and D'Hanis last week. He has made arrangements to show at those places each week. I am offering my home in the south part of town for sale. Part cash and balance on easy terms. See me if you are looking for a comfortable home. H. F. Woods. 12-1f. A Halloween box supper will be given at the Langfield school house Saturday night, Oct. 30th, for the benefit of the school library. Everybody invited. Seven car loads of freight were shipped out of Hondo the past week as follows: 1 car emigrant outfit, 3 cars cotton seed, 1 car cattle, 1 of empty kegs and 1 of corn. Col. C. W. Stone left Wednesday morning for Austin where he went to attend the re-union of Terry's Texas Rangers, which was held in that city on the 21st and 22nd. W. H. Windrow went to San Antonio Tuesday. He heard that Santa Claus was in that city and he went down to interview him with regard to novelties for the Christmas trade. County Treasurer J. J. Droitcourt went to Castroville Tuesday to be present at the Rihn-Biediger wedding and to accompany Mrs. Droitcourt and children, who were already in that picturesque little town, home. The ladies of the Catholic Church will give a two-days' Fair for the benefit of the church during the second week of District Court, Nov. 9th and 10th. Remember the dates and attend and help a worthy cause. In a private letter from Fritz Weber of Utopia, he informs us that fine rains have fallen in that section recently and that grass is finer than he ever saw it. The Utopia country is one of the finest goat and hog sections to be found in the state. Mrs. Hettie Offutt of Kansas City, Missouri, arrived in Hondo Friday night of last week and will make her home here with her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. E. Scott. Mrs. Offutt is no stranger having visited here before, her last visit being something over a year and a half ago. J. W. Streich and two sisters, Mesdames Josie Hildebrand and Emma Semlinger, all of San Antonio, were here Saturday, guests of their uncle, A. T. Forst. This was Mr. Streich's first visit to Hondo and he was favorably impressed with our little city. Mr. Forst took great pleasure in showing his "little" nephew the sights of our little burg and keeping him clear of the jitneys. Mr. Streich only weighs 340 pounds and makes some of Hondo's fat men look quite small.

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CARE OF THE TABLE LINEN

Its Life May Be Materially Lengthened If It Is Always Handled Properly. Careful housewives who fear the effects of fruit stains on their best table linen often lay it aside during the fruit season and use in its place table squares with the square doilies or the round table coverings with the round doilies to match. These are chosen of fine linen or patterned damask, preferably with the scalloped edges or the simple hem-stitched hems. Under them are used the asbestos mats, which perfectly protect the polished table top. Many are using the Japanese sets, made of the cotton toweling. These are herringboned together to make the square cover the desired size, some even having the blue linen knotted to form a fringe. They are pretty and cool looking with the blue Dresden china. The use of the smaller table linens, apparently, increases the size of the laundry, but in reality it is less work to do up a number of the small pieces than it is to wash and iron the large, heavy tablecloths. Almost all stains are removed quite readily with plain boiling water, which must be applied before any soap is used. Soap always sets a stain. But if the stain is stubborn and refuses to come out for the hot water, then salts of lemon may be applied, and the article should be allowed to stand in the sun while it dries. Then rinse in cold water and apply the salts a second time if there are any traces of the stain still on the cloth. One may also use spirits of wine, ammonia or Javel water, which latter must be rinsed out almost immediately for fear it may damage the material. For grease or gravy spots, plain yellow soap rubbed well into them, then the boiling water turned through, will remove them at once. One must be careful with the laundry list while using the small tableware, for the loss of a few doilies spoils the set.

HELPFUL HINTS

When ironing delicate garments put powderedorris root between the folds of the ironing blanket. A delicate perfume will permeate the clothing. Almost all vegetables—except beans—should be cooked in as little water as possible; then this water should be thickened with butter, cream and the tiniest amount of flour for the sauce. To make boots waterproof melt together two parts beeswax to one part of mutton fat. Apply this to the leather at night, and in the morning wipe well with a piece of flannel. If a magnet is kept in the hook and eye box, it will be an easy matter to pick up the hooks and eyes, and any hook that will not be picked up by the magnet, do not use, because it will rust. Every cellar should have many shelves for the convenience of the housekeeper. There should be one or two hanging shelves. By this means the cellar may be kept in order and sanitary.

The Proper Spoon.

No other kitchen utensil will hasten the labor of cooking quite so much as the proper spoon. Beating spoons which are split or perforated are essential for obtaining light and fluffy mixtures in the shortest time. They can also be used as vegetable mashers. The tongs-spoon is an invaluable help in handling hot eggs, potatoes, etc. The strainer spoon and the measuring spoon, which usually come in sets of three, are found to be indispensable after a cook has once become accustomed to the use of them. For one dollar a complete supply of spoons can be put in the kitchen.

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Notice of Administration.

The State of Texas, County of Medina. To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of Jacob Siegenthaler, deceased: The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Jacob Siegenthaler, deceased, late of Medina County, Texas, by Hon. R. J. Noonan, Judge of the County Court of said County, on the 14th day of October, A. D. 1915, during a regular term of said Court, hereby notified all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence in Hondo, Medina County, Texas, where he receives his mail. This 15th day of October, A. D. 1915. C. H. SAYERS, Administrator of the estate of Jacob Siegenthaler, deceased.

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The Lot of Thousands.

When hope lies dead within the heart,
By secret sorrow long concealed,
We shrink lest looks or words impart
What may not be revealed.

'Tis hard to smile when one would weep
To speak when one would silent be;
To wake when one would wish to sleep,
And wake to agony.

Yet sate the lot for thousands care
Who wander in this world of care,
And bend beneath the bitter blast,
To save them from despair.

Yet nature waits her guests to greet
Where disappointment can not come,
And time leads with unerring feet
The weary wanderer home.

—Anne Hunter.

Crop Conditions as Reported by Department of Agriculture.

Crop conditions in Denton county for last ten days shows: Cotton, 55 per cent; early corn, 80 per cent; late corn, 90 per cent; cane for hay and syrup, 90 per cent; seed, poor; turnips, 90 per cent, with heavy crop; hays, 90 per cent, good crop and going up; as a matter of fact the North Texas hay crop is 100 per cent better than last year.

General crop conditions in Taylor, Tom Green, Concho and Runnels counties is above normal, but cotton has shown recently a deterioration from a fair to a poor crop on account of the boll weevil, little if any of the land showing a prospect of more than one-fourth of a bale per acre. The wheat and oat crop have been the best in years—a deal of the acreage yielding from 50 to 60 bushels. Maize has also yielded wonderfully well. The cotton acreage was cut fully 20 per cent, and that of other crops increased at least as much. The little early cotton gathered yielded from one-third to one-half a bale per acre. Two-thirds of the cotton now in the field is open. Upon the whole, notwithstanding the cotton shortage, the farmers are well satisfied.

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Shelby and Jasper counties show a decided improvement over the outlook following the storms. Cotton especially looked better a week ago than one estimating two weeks before would have ventured. Vegetables and sweet potatoes are especially plentiful and good.

Crop conditions in Smith, Upshur and Morris Counties October 2: Corn 75 per cent; cotton, 60 per cent, field peas, 100 per cent; hay crops, 90 per cent; peanuts, 95 per cent; fall Irish potatoes and gardens, 95 per cent; sweet potatoes, 90 per cent; cotton about picked.

Conditions in DeWitt and Victoria counties have not improved during the last week or ten days. Ninety per cent of the cotton crop is gathered and will yield about one-fourth of a bale to the acre. Corn light in both counties and much of it yet in the field ungathered.

Leon, Anderson, Houston, Walker, Madison, Robertson, Freestone and Limestone counties, for week ending Oct 2: Cotton-picking about three-fourths done, with perhaps a fifty per cent yield of normal. Late peanuts are now being harvested with generally a good yield. In many localities a second crop is now being gathered.

In the parts of Hays, Comal, Bexar, Kendall, Kerr, Gillespie and Medina counties and the Sabinal country visited, crop conditions on October 9, were as follows: About one-fourth of a bale of cotton was made on the small acreage planted except in Medina and the Sabinal country, when the cotton and corn crops were practically destroyed by the great hail storm. The oat crop throughout this entire section, on a small acreage, is particularly good and as a rule the same may be said of the feedstuffs. Pasture grass never was better. Farmers generally are in better financial condition than they ever were, this resulting from three causes: 1. They planted more feedstuffs; 2. less cotton; 3. received more for products and have been more careful in expenditures.

Cotton in the Southwestern portion of Grayson county, the northern portion of Denton and the Southeast portion of Cooke county will yield about 50 per cent of last year's output. The corn is very good with an average yield of about 15 bushels per acre. Sorghum canes for syrup will yield an average of about 75 gallons per acre, and for hay about two tons per acre, dry. All hay crops are 50 per cent better than last year.

Heavy crop of sweet potatoes, 25 cent over yield of last year. Farms are short on hogs, cows, horses, mules, sheep and goats, but an abundance of poultry. Plowing and turning under of vegetation in full blast.

Crop conditions in Cass and Marion counties: Corn, 75 per cent; cotton, 60 per cent; peas, 90 per cent; sweet potatoes, 90 per cent; hay crops, 95 per cent; fall gardens, 85 per cent; ribbon cane, 90 per cent; peanuts, 95 per cent; turnips, 75 cent. Corn gathered and cotton about three-fourths out. More boll weevil than ever before in the history of these counties.

Crop conditions in Cherokee, Nacogdoches, Angelina and Tyler counties unchanged from two weeks ago, except that harvesting is more advanced. Boll weevil worse than for the last ten years.

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Mrs. C. Troy entertained the "500" Club last Friday afternoon, naming Miss Johanna Rothe of Hondo, the charming guest of Miss Praeger, as honoree. Three tables were used and the scores were unusually close, making the games very enjoyable. Miss Lucile Barber had high score at the close of the five games, and received a handkerchief from the hostess as a reward for her skill, while Miss Abbie Chase was consoled with the same kind of gift of crepe de chine. Chocolate cake were served by Mrs. Troy to the following: Misses Alma Troy, Clarence Michot, Louise Wilson, Jessie Ryan, Abbie Chase, Lucile Barber, Mary Welder, Elizabeth Praeger, Johanna Rothe (Hondo), Anne Taylor, Lil Taylor, Nona Berry, Mary Cochran and Mrs. J. S. Fenner. —Beeville Picayune.

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Miss Dollie Reilly of D'Hanis came over Wednesday and was visiting Mr. Joe Reilly's family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Haby of Utopia were visiting in Hondo and returned home Wednesday.

Two Children Had Croup.

The two children of J. W. Nix, Cleveland, Ga., had croup. He writes: "Both got so choked up they could hardly breathe. I gave them Foley's Honey and Tar and nothing else and it completely cured them." Contains no opiates. Cuts the phlegm; opens air passages. Louis Carle, D'Hanis; W. H. Windrow, Hondo.

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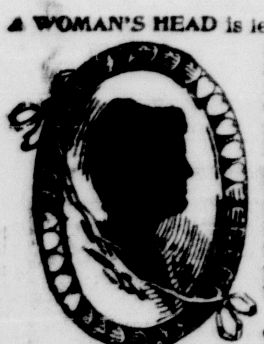
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Put your coffee green and roast it yourself. Therein lies the main secret of the good cup of coffee. Coffee after having been long roasted loses its aroma and delicacy of flavor. From ready ground or ready roasted coffee the best results are impossible.

But if the roasting is not done properly the brew may be worse than the worst made from prepared coffee. If roasted too much the flavor is spoiled and the beverage injuriously affects the digestion. To prevent the decomposition of the acid, gum and resin in the coffee bean it is necessary that the roasting proceed uniformly without excess of heat. It is better to employ a closed receptacle, which should be shaken thoroughly about every ten minutes to prevent scorching. It should be removed from the oven in about forty-five minutes, when the coffee is reddish brown. An expert can tell by the odor when the roasting is sufficient.

Real Mocha coffee—something rarely seen, by the way—requires less roasting than any other because of the great amount of oil in the bean. In other coffees the dampness prevails over the oil and the excess of moisture disappears with the roasting. Mocha is roasted enough when it has a cinnamon color; other coffees should have more of a chestnut color. In no instance should the coffee approach blackness.

When properly roasted the coffee should be emptied on a stone or marble table, taking care to separate the beans. The sudden contact with the air and the cold surface arrests the evaporation of the essential oils. As soon as the coffee is cooled it should be placed in a glass jar and hermetically sealed. Never should it be placed in tin. It should be used as soon as possible after roasting, for no matter how carefully kept its aroma rapidly disappears. The best plan therefore is to roast only enough for one day. That insures the really good cup of coffee.

Every housewife should have a coffee mill and grind the coffee just before making the brew, grinding only enough for immediate use. When you do not use a percolator the best results are obtained by not grinding too finely. A tablespoonful of medium ground coffee to a cup of water and "one for the pot" is the usual rule for making good strong coffee.

The percolator has come to the aid of the young housewife who was uncertain of her skill under former methods.

Walnut Caramel Cake.

Cream one-half cupful of butter with two cupfuls of sugar and add the well beaten yolks of four eggs. Sift together three cupfuls of pastry flour and three teaspoonfuls of baking powder and add to the mixture alternately with one cup of milk. Flavor with one teaspoonful of vanilla. Add one cupful of floured and chopped walnut meats, then fold in the stiffly beaten whites, bake in a loaf and cover with caramel frosting.

Caramel Frosting—Boil three-fourths cupful of thin cream, one-half cupful of sugar and one tablespoonful of caramel and flavor with one teaspoonful of vanilla. To make the caramel, melt one-half cupful of sugar, stir in gradually one-third cupful of water and let boil up once.

Black Currant Souffle.

Have two medium sized souffle dishes. Take two pounds of black currants, add four ounces sugar, two spoonfuls of water. Cook to extract the juice and press through a fine sieve. Melt one ounce of white leaf gelatin and add, and then whip in half a pint of thick cream. Place in dishes and fill, so that when the paper is removed the souffle will be half an inch beyond the top of the dish. Keep on ice an hour or two before serving, pipe, or entirely cover the top with whipped cream.

Tomato Canaps.

This is a pretty luncheon dish as well as a substantial one and easy to make into the bargain. Slice large, well-shaped tomatoes without peeling them and cut slices of bread to fit. Fry the bread and lay a tomato slice on each piece. Sprinkle with chopped green pepper, bits of butter and a little grated cheese. Season well and broil till the tomato is heated thoroughly. Serve hot.

Nut Patties.

Beat one egg, without separating, until light. Add gradually one cup of powdered sugar and beat until very light. Add five tablespoonfuls of flour, one cupful of finely chopped nut meats, and stir until thoroughly and smoothly mixed. Drop by the tablespoonful on greased tins and bake for 15 minutes, or until they are a light brown, in a quick oven.

Pepper Relish.

One dozen red peppers, one dozen green peppers, 15 medium onions. Remove all the stems and seeds and put through grinder. Pour boiling water on and let stand ten minutes, drain. Add three cupfuls of vinegar, cupful and a half of sugar, three tablespoonfuls salt. Boil 15 minutes. Seal in small jars. Delicious with cold meat.

She Will Recover

So her doctor said. Her friends and neighbors felt sure of it too. They have used Peruna themselves and know of its merits. That old cough that had worried her for years and years, for which she had taken all sorts of cough medicines, has disappeared. Peruna is doing the work. She will recover. Indeed, she has recovered.

Her name is Mrs. William Hohmann, 2784 Lincoln Ave., Chicago, Ill. She had suffered with catarrh of the bronchial tubes and had a terrible cough ever since a child. As she got older she grew worse. She coughed both winter and summer. Had to sit up at night. Could not sleep. "But all that has left me now," Peruna has cured me."

There are others, and there is a reason.

CASTROVILLE ANVIL SPARKS

This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville—

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Mrs. Alois Haby and Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Rihn of Red Wing visited here several days ago.

L. W. Barell visited Lacoste Sunday.

Misses Regina and Lenore Mangold and Helen Jungman of Lacoste visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn entertained with a dinner Thursday, the occasion being the first anniversary of their wedding and twenty-fifth anniversary of Mr. Rihn's parents. Mr. and Mrs. William Rihn. About fifteen guests were present.

E. K. Ramsey, a canal engineer, of San Antonio, visited here Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Baubies a son, Oct. 18, 1915.

Mrs. W. R. Burgess visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bippert and family last week.

Col. J. B. Wernette, John Rihn and A. Halbardier spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Mrs. George Noonan and children spent several days in the Alamo City.

Mrs. A. W. Bouquet has returned to her home in San Antonio after a pleasant visit to relatives and friends here.

Several loads of pecans were brought to town Saturday.

John Biediger and sister, Miss Eliza, Miss Mamie Biediger and Mr. McKeog of Lacoste visited here Sunday.

Little Miss Pattie FitzSimon entertained a few of her little friends at a birthday party Sunday. Those present were: Miss Annie Torrino, Fanny Bourquin, Florence Scherrer, Alice Rihn, Lucile Tschirhart, Helen Maurer, Manuel Torrino, Hugo Bourquin, Jack James and Anthony FitzSimon. Refreshments were served and a good time enjoyed by all.

A fine rain fell here last night. It amounted to over an inch. Castroville, Oct. 18, 1915.

A Clogged System Needs Attention.

Are you bilious, dizzy and listless? Dr. King's New Life Pills taken at once siezes upon constipation and starts the bowels moving naturally and easily. Moreover it acts without gripping. Neglect of a clogged system often leads to most serious complications. Poisonous matters and a body poorly functioning need immediate attention. If you wish to wake up tomorrow morning happy in mind and entirely satisfied, start your treatment to-night. 25c a bottle.

Somebody called the attention to the fact that the fellow who always says "I told you so," never seems to have any money up on the result.

The Next Best Thing to the Pine Forest for Colds is—

Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey which goes to the very root of cold troubles. It clears the throat and gives relief from that clogged and stuffed feeling. The pines have ever been the friend of man in driving away colds. Moreover, the pine-honey qualities are peculiarly effective in fighting children's colds. Remember that a cold broken at the start greatly removes the possibility of complications. 25c.

Most persons who believe themselves good judges of human nature are drawing heavily on their imagination.—Albany Journal.

Lots of city farmers make a specialty of sowing wild oats.

LOVE THAT LIVES

By WILLIAM L. VISSCHER.

After dinner, in Arthur Johnson's "smoke-house" the two cronies sat: Major Tom Bob Hart, bachelor, ex-soldier, and relic of romance; his companion, Arthur Johnson, little more than half the age of the major.

Toward the end of a specially good cigar the major had sat for some minutes, "lost to the world"—apparently. "Major, I'll bet a horse that you are thinking, this minute, of some prehistoric love affair. Ah! you sly old pirate!"

"Arthur, boy, you like me, don't you?" queried the major, in a voice full of pathos and touched with solicitude.

"Who does not, major, that knows you?"

"Well, I'm glad of that. You are just the kind of a friend I like to have. You are fond of me without having any very good reason for it."

"In this way you remind me of a sweetheart I had once—got her yet, as to that. But her husband and I are friends."

"Often she and I call each other 'Honey,' which is a common expression of friendly affection in the South, where we both came from."

"Now it may seem funny to you, but that little woman doesn't know that I am homesick."

"Is she blind?" the younger man promptly and bluntly asked.

"Of course she's blind. Blind as a bat, and yet her eyes are as good as anybody's. She is simply a living exemplification of the trite old saying that love is blind."

"I'll tell you just how it was, and I'll test your credulity right at the start. Make you smile, too."

"I was a handsome boy."

"Gee! but you do laugh, don't you? And yet I had tried to prepare you for it. Well, I was handsome. That sweet heart of mine and I grew up to love each other, just naturally, and in fact we didn't know it until too late."

"When the war came I went. Before the storm of patriotism was over, a great, big man, who was not nearly so practically patriotic—or idiotic—as I was, came along there and told my sweetheart things that I had not thought to tell her. Moreover, he was accumulating gold while I was not gathering anything more substantial than glory. But I was fairly windrowing that. It has melted like the snow forts of boyhood."

"Those who had the direction of her ways directed her toward him and he gathered her in. He has her yet."

"After the storm went down, strange as it may seem, there was no calm for me—perhaps there was too much calm."

"At first I frequently saw my old sweetheart, then came long spells when I didn't see her at all. At last it dawned upon my opaque heart and brain that I was in love with that little woman, and always had been. Sometimes I thought I would try to steal her. But I thought better of it, and she—Heaven bless her!—wouldn't have thought of it at all."

"I did the next worst thing, however. I told her that I loved her, all ways had and always would. To my utter astonishment, dismay, and happiness, thereby perplexing me more than ever, she confessed—that she had loved me in the old days, and—but she loves her husband."

"The other day I was telling her that she was the only woman I had ever loved and that she was always a pearl. She said:

"You're a dear old fellow, but you must not talk that way."

"Oh! That's all right," I said. "I am old and homely enough to be a privileged character."

"She leaned over, her elbows on the marble between us, hands to her face, and looked searching and inquiring into my eyes. Then as if deeply bewildered and amazed, she said:

"No-o! Are you homely, Honey?"

"Yes, indeed, picturesquely homely. Don't you see that I am old, and wrinkled, and bald, and stooping, and lame and querulous, and fidgety, and—"

"No," she exclaimed, "I only see my gallant boy sweetheart, and his patient, knightly, hidden soul. I remember the flash of your sword in the sun light that morning when, as the boy-captain that you were, marching with your men to the war, you saluted the cheering village girls in passing. The gleam of that blade has always kept you and your eyes before me."

"Say, my son, I have clung to a spar amid the crawling canyons of the ocean, until dashed breathless and unconscious upon a long stretch of white beach on an arid island of the seas; I have faced the fierce sirocco and fore-most focal fire of battle, time and again, and felt its fiery breath blow back the brown locks that then were mine; inspired by a something whose achievement might be borne to her, I have poured out a stream of impassioned eloquence before an audience of heroes and statesmen, until they climbed to chairs and tables yelling: 'Old man, you're a king!' But never—even in the deepest intensity of any instant at such times as these have I had such satisfaction and triumph, or more of a yearning for more of life, than when my old sweetheart leaned over and said, with the light of love in her eyes and its music in her voice: 'No-o! Are you homely, Honey?'"

—San Francisco Argonaut.

A man with a grouch is his own punishment.

COULD SCARCELY WALK ABOUT

And For Three Summers Mrs. Vincent Was Unable to Attend to Any of Her Housework.

Pleasant Hill, N. C.—"I suffered for three summers," writes Mrs. Walter Vincent, of this town, "and the third and last time, was my worst."

I had dreadful nervous headaches and prostration, and was scarcely able to walk about. Could not do any of my housework."

I also had dreadful pains in my back and sides and when one of those weak, sinking spells would come on me, I would have to give up and lie down, until it wore off."

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The Lot of Thousands.

When hope lies dead within the heart,
By secret sorrow long concealed,
We shrink lest looks or words impart
What may not be revealed.

'Tis hard to smile when one would weep
To speak when one would silent be;
To wake when one would wish to sleep,
And wake to agony.

Yet such the lot for thousands are—
Who wander in this world of care,
And bend beneath the bitter blast,
To save them from despair.

Yet nature waits her guests to greet
Where disappointment can not come.
And time leads with unerring feet
The weary wanderer home.

—Anne Hunter.

Crop Conditions as Reported by Department of Agriculture.

Crop conditions in Denton county for last ten days shows: Cotton, 55 per cent; early corn, 80 per cent; late corn, 90 per cent; cane for hay and syrup, 90 per cent; seed, poor; turnips, 90 per cent, with heavy crop; hays, 90 per cent, good crop and going up; as a matter of fact the North Texas hay crop is 100 per cent better than last year.

General crop conditions in Taylor, Tom Green, Concho and Runnels counties is above normal, but cotton has shown recently a deterioration from a fair to a poor crop on account of the boll weevil, little if any of the land showing a prospect of more than one-fourth of a bale per acre. The wheat and oat crop have been the best in years—a deal of the acreage yielding from 50 to 60 bushels. Maize has also yielded wonderfully well. The cotton acreage was cut fully 20 per cent, and that of other crops increased at least as much. The little early cotton gathered yielded from one-third to one-half a bale per acre. Two-thirds of the cotton now in the field is open. Upon the whole, notwithstanding the cotton shortage, the farmers are well satisfied.

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Shelby and Jasper counties show a decided improvement over the outlook following the storms. Cotton especially looked better a week ago than one estimating two weeks before would have ventured. Vegetables and sweet potatoes are especially plentiful and good.

Crop conditions in Smith, Upshur and Morris Counties October 2: Corn 75 per cent; cotton, 60 per cent, field peas, 100 per cent; hay crops, 90 per cent; peanuts, 95 per cent; fall Irish potatoes and gardens, 95 per cent; sweet potatoes, 90 per cent; cotton about picked.

Conditions in DeWitt and Victoria counties have not improved during the last week or ten days. Ninety per cent of the cotton crop is gathered and will yield about one-fourth of a bale to the acre. Corn light in both counties and much of it yet in the field ungathered.

Leon, Anderson, Houston, Walker, Madison, Robertson, Freestone and Limestone counties, for week ending Oct 2: Cotton-picking about three-fourths done, with perhaps a fifty per cent yield of normal. Late peanuts are now being harvested with generally a good yield. In many localities a second crop is now being gathered.

In the parts of Hays, Comal, Bexar, Kendall, Kerr, Gillespie and Medina counties and the Sabinal country visited, crop conditions on October 9, were as follows: About one-fourth of a bale of cotton was made on the small acreage planted except in Medina and the Sabinal country, when the cotton and corn crops were practically destroyed by the great hail storm. The oat crop throughout this entire section, on a small acreage, is particularly good and as a rule the same may be said of the feedstuffs. Pasture grass never was better. Farmers generally are in better financial condition than they ever were, this resulting from three causes: 1. They planted more feedstuffs; 2. less cotton; 3. received more for products and have been more careful in expenditures.

Cotton in the Southwestern portion of Grayson county, the northern portion of Denton and the Southeast portion of Cooke county will yield about 50 per cent of last year's output. The corn is very good with an average yield of about 15 bushels per acre. Sorghum canes for syrup will yield an average of about 75 gallons per acre, and for hay about two tons per acre, dry. All hay crops are 50 per cent better than last year.

Heavy crop of sweet potatoes, 25 cent over yield of last year. Farms are short on hogs, cows, horses, mules, sheep and goats, but an abundance of poultry. Plowing and turning under of vegetation is in full blast.

Crop conditions in Cass and Marion counties: Corn, 75 per cent; cotton, 60 per cent; peas, 90 per cent; sweet potatoes, 90 per cent; hay crops, 95 per cent; fall gardens, 85 per cent; ribbon cane, 90 per cent; peanuts, 95 per cent; turnips, 75 cent. Corn gathered and cotton about three-fourths out. More boll weevil than ever before in the history of these counties.

Crop conditions in Cherokee, Nacogdoches, Angelina and Tyler counties unchanged from two weeks ago, except that harvesting is more advanced. Boll weevil worse than for the last ten years.

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Pain results from injury or congestion. Be it neuralgia, rheumatism, lumbago, neuritis, toothache, sprain, bruise, sore stiff muscles or whatever pain you have yields to Sloan's Liniment—brings new fresh blood, dissolves the congestion, relieves the injury, the circulation is free and your pain leaves as if by magic. The nature of its qualities penetrate immediately to the sore spot. Don't keep on suffering. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment. Use it. It means instant relief. Price 25c. and 50c. \$1.00 bottle holds six times as much as the 25c size.

Complimented Miss Rothe.

Mrs. C. Troy entertained the "500" Club last Friday afternoon, naming Miss Johanna Rothe of Hondo, the charming guest of Miss Praeger, as honoree. Three tables were used and the scores were unusually close, making the games very enjoyable. Miss Lucile Barber had high score at the close of the five games, and received a handkerchief from the hostess as a reward for her skill, while Miss Abbie Chase was consoled with the same kind of gift of crepe de chine. Chocolate cake were served by Mrs. Troy to the following: Misses Alma Troy, Clarence Michot, Louise Wilson, Jessie Ryan, Abbie Chase, Lucile Barber, Mary Welder, Elizabeth Praeger, Johanna Rothe (Hondo), Anne Taylor, Lil Taylor, Nona Berry, Mary Cochran and Mrs. J. S. Fenner. —Beeville Picayune.

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Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Mr. A. J. Bennett has joined the turkey trot, we judge, by the amount he has bought. He bought 100 head of turkeys from E. A. Weber of this community. There is a good profit in raising turkeys by the right man in the right place.—Little Creek Cor.

Miss Dolhe Reily of D'Hanis came over Wednesday and was visiting Mr. Joe Reily's family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Haby of Utopia were visiting in Hondo and returned home Wednesday.

Two Children Had Croup.

The two children of J. W. Nix, Cleveland, Ga., had croup. He writes: "Both got so choked up they could hardly breathe. I gave them Foley's Honey and Tar and nothing else and it completely cured them." Contains no opiates. Cuts the phlegm; opens air passages. Louis Carle, D'Hanis; W. H. Windrow, Hondo.

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Buying It Green and Roasting It for Oneself Is Always Advisable—Material Never Should Be Placed in Tin.

Buy your coffee green and roast it yourself. Therein lies the main secret of the good cup of coffee. Coffee after having been long roasted loses its aroma and delicacy of flavor. From ready ground or ready roasted coffee the best results are impossible. But if the roasting is not done properly the brew may be worse than the roast made from prepared coffee. If roasted too much the flavor is spoiled and the beverage injuriously affects the digestion. To prevent the decomposition of the acid, gum and resin in the coffee bean it is necessary that the roasting proceed uniformly without excess of heat. It is better to employ a closed receptacle, which should be shaken thoroughly about every ten minutes to prevent scorching. It should be removed from the oven in about forty-five minutes, when the coffee is reddish brown. An expert can tell by the odor when the roasting is sufficient.

Real Mocha coffee—something rarely seen, by the way—requires less roasting than any other because of the great amount of oil in the bean. In other coffees the dampness prevails over the oil and the excess of moisture disappears with the roasting. Mocha is roasted enough when it has a cinnamon color; other coffees should have more of a chestnut color. In no instance should the coffee approach blackness.

When properly roasted the coffee should be emptied on a stone or marble table, taking care to separate the beans. The sudden contact with the air and the cold surface arrests the evaporation of the essential oils. As soon as the coffee is cooled it should be placed in a glass jar and hermetically sealed. Never should it be placed in tin. It should be used as soon as possible after roasting, for no matter how carefully kept its aroma rapidly disappears. The best plan therefore is to roast only enough for one day. That insures the really good cup of coffee.

Every housewife should have a coffee mill and grind the coffee just before making the brew, grinding only enough for immediate use. When you do not use a percolator the best results are obtained by not grinding too finely. A tablespoonful of medium ground coffee to a cup of water and "one for the pot" is the usual rule for making good strong coffee.

The percolator has come to the aid of the young housewife who was uncertain of her skill under former methods.

Walnut Caramel Cake.

Cream one-half cupful of butter with two cupfuls of sugar and add the well beaten yolks of four eggs. Sift together three cupfuls of pastry flour and three teaspoonfuls of baking powder and add to the mixture alternately with one cup of milk. Flavor with one teaspoonful of vanilla. add one cupful of floured and chopped walnut meats, then fold in the stiffly beaten whites, bake in a loaf and cover with caramel frosting.

Caramel Frosting.—Boil three-fourths cupful of thin cream, one-half cupful of sugar and one tablespoonful of caramel and flavor with one teaspoon of vanilla. To make the caramel, melt one-half cupful of sugar, stir in gradually one-third cupful of water and let boil up once.

Black Currant Souffle.

Have two medium sized souffle dishes. Take two pounds of black currants, add four ounces sugar, two spoonfuls of water. Cook to extract the juice and press through a fine sieve. Melt one ounce of white leaf gelatin and add, and then whip in half a pint of thick cream. Place in dishes and fill, so that when the paper is removed the souffle will be half an inch beyond the top of the dish. Keep on ice an hour or two before serving, pipe, or entirely cover the top with whipped cream.

Tomato Canapes.

This is a pretty luncheon dish as well as a substantial one and easy to make into the bargain. Slice large, well-shaped tomatoes without peeling them and cut slices of bread to fit. Fry the bread and lay a tomato slice on each piece. Sprinkle with chopped green pepper, bits of butter and a little grated cheese. Season well and broil till the tomato is heated thoroughly. Serve hot.

Nut Patties.

Beat one egg, without separating, until light. Add gradually one cup of powdered sugar and beat until very light. Add five tablespoonfuls of flour, one cupful of finely chopped nut meats, and stir until thoroughly and smoothly mixed. Drop by the tablespoonful on greased tins and bake for 15 minutes, or until they are a light brown, in a quick oven.

Pepper Relish.

One dozen red peppers, one dozen green peppers, 15 medium onions. Remove all the stems and seeds and put through grinder. Pour boiling water on and let stand ten minutes, drain. Add three cupfuls of vinegar, cupful and a half of sugar, three tablespoonfuls salt. Boil 15 minutes. Seal in small jars. Delicious with cold meat.

She Will Recover

So her doctor said. Her friends and neighbors felt sure of it too. They have used Peruna themselves and know of its merits. That old cough that had worried her for years and years, for which she had taken all sorts of cough medicines, has disappeared. Peruna is doing the work. She will recover. Indeed, she has recovered.

Her name is Mrs. William Bohmann, 2764 Lincoln Ave., Chicago, Ill. She had suffered with catarrh of the bronchial tubes and had a terrible cough ever since a child. As she got older she grew worse. She coughed both winter and summer. Had to sit up at night. Could not sleep. "But all that has left me now, Peruna has cured me."

There are others, and there is a reason.

**CASTROVILLE
ANVIL SPARKS**

This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville—

ED. H. HUEHNER, Editor

who is authorized to collect and accept for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted

Mrs. Alois Haby and Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Rihn of Red Wing visited here several days ago.

L. W. Burrell visited Lacoste Sunday.

Misses Regina and Lenore Mangold and Helen Jungman of Lacoste visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn entertained with a dinner Thursday, the occasion being the first anniversary of their wedding and twenty-fifth anniversary of Mr. Rihn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Rihn. About fifteen guests were present.

E. K. Ramsey, a canal engineer, of San Antonio, visited here Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Baubles a son, Oct. 18, 1915.

Mrs. W. R. Burgess visited Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bippert and family last week.

Col. J. B. Wernette, John Rihn and A. Halbardier spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Mrs. George Noonan and children spent several days in the Alamo City.

Mrs. A. W. Bouquet has returned to her home in San Antonio after a pleasant visit to relatives and friends here.

Several loads of pecans were brought to town Saturday.

John Biediger and sister, Miss Eliza, Miss Mamie Biediger and Mr. McKeog of Lacoste visited here Sunday.

Little Miss Pattie FitzSimon entertained a few of her little friends at a birthday party Sunday. Those present were: Miss Annie Torrino, Fanny Bourquin, Florence Scherrer, Alice Rihn, Lucile Tschirhart, Helen Maurer, Manuel Torrino, Hugo Bourquin, Jack James and Anthony FitzSimon. Refreshments were served and a good time enjoyed by all.

A fine rain fell here last night. It amounted to over an inch. Castroville, Oct. 18, 1915.

A Clogged System Needs Attention.

Are you bilious, dizzy and listless? Dr. King's New Life Pills taken at once siezes upon constipation and starts the bowels moving naturally and easily. Moreover it acts without gripping. Neglect of a clogged system often leads to most serious complications. Poisonous matters and a body poorly functioning need immediate attention. If you wish to wake up tomorrow morning happy in mind and entirely satisfied, start your treatment to-night. 25c a bottle.

Somebody called the attention to the fact that the fellow who always says "I told you so," never seems to have any money up on the result.

The Next Best Thing to the Pine Forest for Colds is—

Dr. Bell's Pine-Forest Honey which goes to the very root of cold troubles. It clears the throat and gives relief from that clogged and stuffed feeling. The pines have ever been the friend of man in driving away colds. Moreover, the pine-honey qualities are peculiarly effective in fighting children's colds. Remember that a cold broken at the start greatly removes the possibility of complications. 25c.

Most persons who believe themselves good judges of human nature are drawing heavily on their imagination—Albany Journal.

Lots of city farmers make a specialty of sowing wild oats.

LOVE THAT LIVES

By WILLIAM L. VISSCHER.

After dinner, in Arthur Johnson's "smoke-house," the two cronies sat: Major Tom Bob Hart, bachelor, ex-soldier, and relic of romance; his companion, Arthur Johnson, little more than half the age of the major.

Toward the end of a specially good cigar the major had sat for some minutes, "lost to the world"—apparently.

"Major, I'll bet a horse that you are thinking this minute, of some prehistoric love affair. Ah! you sly old pirate!"

"Arthur, boy, you like me, don't you?" queried the major, in a voice full of pathos and touched with solicitude.

"Who does not, major, that knows you?"

"Well, I'm glad of that. You are just the kind of a friend I like to have. You are fond of me without having any very good reason for it."

"In this way you remind me of a sweetheart I had once—got her yet, as to that. But her husband and I are friends."

"Often she and I call each other 'Honey,' which is a common expression of friendly affection in the South, where we both came from."

"Now it may seem funny to you, but that little woman doesn't know that I am homely."

"Is she blind?" the younger man promptly and bluntly asked.

"Of course she's blind. Blind as a bat, and yet her eyes are as good as anybody's. She is simply a living exemplification of the trite old saying that love is blind."

"I'll tell you just how it was, and I'll test your credulity right at the start. Make you smile, too."

"I was a handsome boy."

"Gee! but you do laugh, don't you? And yet I had tried to prepare you for it. Well, I was handsome. That sweetheart of mine and I grew up to love each other, just naturally, and in fact we didn't know it until too late."

"When the war came I went. Before the storm of patriotism was over, a great, big man, who was not nearly so practically patriotic—or idiotic—as I was, came along there and told my sweetheart things that I had not thought to tell her. Moreover, he was accumulating gold while I was not gathering anything more substantial than glory, but I was fairly windrowing that. It has melted like the snow forts of boyhood."

"Those who had the direction of her ways directed her toward him and he gathered her in. He has her yet."

"After the storm went down, strange as it may seem, there was no calm for me—perhaps there was too much calm."

"At first I frequently saw my old sweetheart, then came long spells when I didn't see her at all. At last it dawned upon my opaque heart and brain that I was in love with that little woman, and always had been. Sometimes I thought I would try to steal her. But I thought better of it, and she—Heaven bless her!—wouldn't have thought of it at all."

"I did the next worst thing, however. I told her that I loved her, always had and always would. To my utter astonishment, dismay, and happiness, thereby perplexing me more than ever, she confessed—that she had loved me in the old days, and—but she loves her husband."

"The other day I was telling her that she was the only woman I had ever loved and that she was always a pearl. She said:

"You're a dear old fellow, but you must not talk that way."

"Oh! That's all right," I said. "I am old and homely enough to be a privileged character."

"She leaned over, her elbows on the marble between us, hands to her face, and looked searchingly and inquiringly into my eyes. Then as if deeply bewildered and amazed, she said:

"No-o! Are you homely, Honey?"

"Yes, indeed, picturesquely homely. Don't you see that I am old, and wrinkled, and bald, and stooping, and lame and querulous, and bldgty, and—"

"No," she exclaimed, "I only see my gallant boy sweetheart, and his patient, knightly, hidden soul. I remember the flash of your sword in the sun light that morning when, as the boy captain that you were, marching with your men to the war, you saluted the cheering village girls in passing. The gleam of that blade has always kept you and your eyes before me."

"Say, my son, I have clung to a spar amid the crawling canyons of the ocean, until dashed breathless and unconscious upon a long stretch of white beach on an arid island of the seas; I have faced the fierce sirocco and fore-most focal fire of battle, time and again, and felt its fiery breath blow back the brown locks that then were mine; inspired by a something whose achievement might be borne to her, I have poured out a stream of impassioned eloquence before an audience of heroes and statesmen, until they climbed to chairs and tables yelling: 'Old man, you're a king!' But never—even in the deepest intensity of any instant at such times as these have I had such satisfaction and triumph, or more of a yearning for more of life, than when my old sweetheart leaned over and said, with the light of love in her eyes and its music in her voice:

"No-o! Are you homely, Honey?"

—San Francisco Argonaut.

A man with a grouch is his own punishment.

COULD SCARCELY WALK ABOUT

And For Three Summers Mrs. Vincent Was Unable to Attend to Any of Her Housework.

Pleasant Hill, N. C.—"I suffered for three summers," writes Mrs. Walter Vincent, of this town, "and the third and last time, was my worst."

I had dreadful nervous headaches and prostration, and was scarcely able to walk about. Could not do any of my housework."

I also had dreadful pains in my back and sides and when one of those weak, sinking spells would come on me, I would have to give up and lie down, until it wore off."

I was certainly in a dreadful state of health, when I finally decided to try Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I firmly

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2. The Teacher and School in a Community Mr. O. W. Peters and Miss Alice Newton
3. Teaching a Spiritual Art Miss Selma Lewis
4. Music Local Talent
5. School Room Humor Mr. A. W. Myres and Miss Maude King
6. Agricultural Education Mr. J. M. Turner
7. Industrial Education Miss Belinda Payne
8. Music Local Talent
9. The Training for Life Work in Our Public Schools Mr. T. C. Hickman
10. The Schools Need of Co-Operation on Part of Parent and Trustee County Superintendent
11. Music Local Talent
12. Any Question by any Teacher or Visitor.

Let every teacher attend if possible. The Institute is held for the good of our boys and girls, therefore, every one should take an active part. Trustees, patrons and all friends of education are cordially invited to attend and take an active part in all discussions.

W. N. SAATHOFF,
County Superintendent, Medina County, Texas.

Know Paint.

There's a paint education in this advertisement.

Buy by the job, not gallon. Buy by the paint put on; that's the job.

The price of paint is so much a gallon; that can't be helped, but amounts to nothing.

The price of painting is so much a day; that can't be helped, but amounts to nothing.

Put them together. How can you do it? You've got to or lose perhaps half of your money.

Devoe, 10 gallons enough for the average job; an average paint, 15. Now reckon your costs. Count labor a day for a gallon. Devoe 10 days; the other 15.

Devoe about \$50; the average paint about \$70 or \$80; the dealer the labor the bigger the order the less, always that way.

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Program for Junior League.

Sunday, 3 P. M.

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Bible reading—John, 14 chapter, 1-11 verses.

Song, "Gathering Home."

Prayer.

The first missionary—Lucille Newton.

Taking Christ to the children of Japan—Gladys Woods.

Song, "Bring them In."

Munitions for the war against Alcohol—Irene Saathoff.

Bible questions.

Benediction.

Notice.

There will be a Holiness Rally with the Church of the Nazarene, Hondo, Texas, beginning Friday night before the 5th Sunday in October.

A number of preachers and workers will be in attendance and a gracious time from the Lord is expected.

All are invited.

MRS. E. HARRELL, Pastor.

Notice.

After the first day of November no orders for meat will be received after 10 o'clock a. m. Please order early.

Respectfully,
STIEGLER & THALLMAN,
NESTER & SCHWEERS.

Notice.

My pastures on the Rio River are posted according to law. No permission will be given to any one, and all permits given heretofore are cancelled and all violations by hunting or trespassing will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law without exception.

12-6t. R. GROSS.

Posted.

The Charles Martin ranch is posted. All hunters and other trespassers are warned that they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law for hunting or otherwise trespassing therein.

12-1f. F. A. MARTIN.

Notice.

The Geo. Haass pasture is posted and all hunting or trapping therein is strictly forbidden according to law. Any one caught therein will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

7-23-mo. PHIL E. HAASS, Overseer.

Notice.

I wish to thank the people of Hondo for their kind consideration extended me during my visit here.

CHAS. P. BARBER.
Hondo, Texas, Oct. 17, 1915.

Posted.

My pastures in Verdina precinct are posted, no hunting or camping allowed therein.

2-mo.-pd. JACOB OEFINGER.

Sweet Potatoes.

Sugared yellow yams, \$1.00 per bushel; German white potatoes, 80c per bushel. Phone 230. L. Barrientes & Sons.

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Our pastures are posted according to law, no hunting or fishing allowed therein.

34-8mo. WILLIE AND ALFRED SCHLENTZ.

Posted.

My lands are posted. No hunting allowed therein. Trespassers will be prosecuted.

2-mo. T. J. NEUMAN.

Notice.

This is to notify the public that I will not be responsible for any debts made by my wife, Carrie L. Hardt.

47-1f. H. G. HARDT.

Birth Registration.

Will a mother rob her child of its inheritance?
Will a mother rob her daughter of the legitimate proof to her age in a trial as to the age of consent?
If not, then register your baby's birth.

The Child's Labor Law and the Compulsory Education Law cannot be properly enforced without accurate birth registration.

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Then register your baby's birth.
(Published by request of the Hondo Mother's Club.)

To The Public.

I want to thank the people of Medina and Medina county for the liberal patronage given me in the past, and owing to the fact that I will not be able to canvas the county I will appreciate, and guarantee perfect satisfaction, if you will write me your wants for anything in the fruit or ornamental line.

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Posted.

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4-3m-pd. L. J. SCHMIDT.

Posted.

My pastures are posted and all trespassing, hunting and disturbing of cattle is strictly forbidden under penalty of the law.

12-1f. F. J. ROTHE.

Posted.

My pastures are posted according to law. No hunting or fishing allowed therein. Trespassers will be prosecuted.

12-2 mo. NIC. HUTZLER.

Notice!

The undersigned ginners are under bond to comply with the Warehouse and Marketing Law of Texas, and therefore will not gin any wet cotton; and if it be found after ginning has commenced on a bale that the cotton is wet, damp, rotten or otherwise damaged such fact must be stated on slips of samples taken out. Further, an additional charge of 15 cents per bale will be made to cover extra expense for taking the samples. Further, we authorize all cotton buyers to collect all unpaid gin tolls when purchasing cotton and settling for same.

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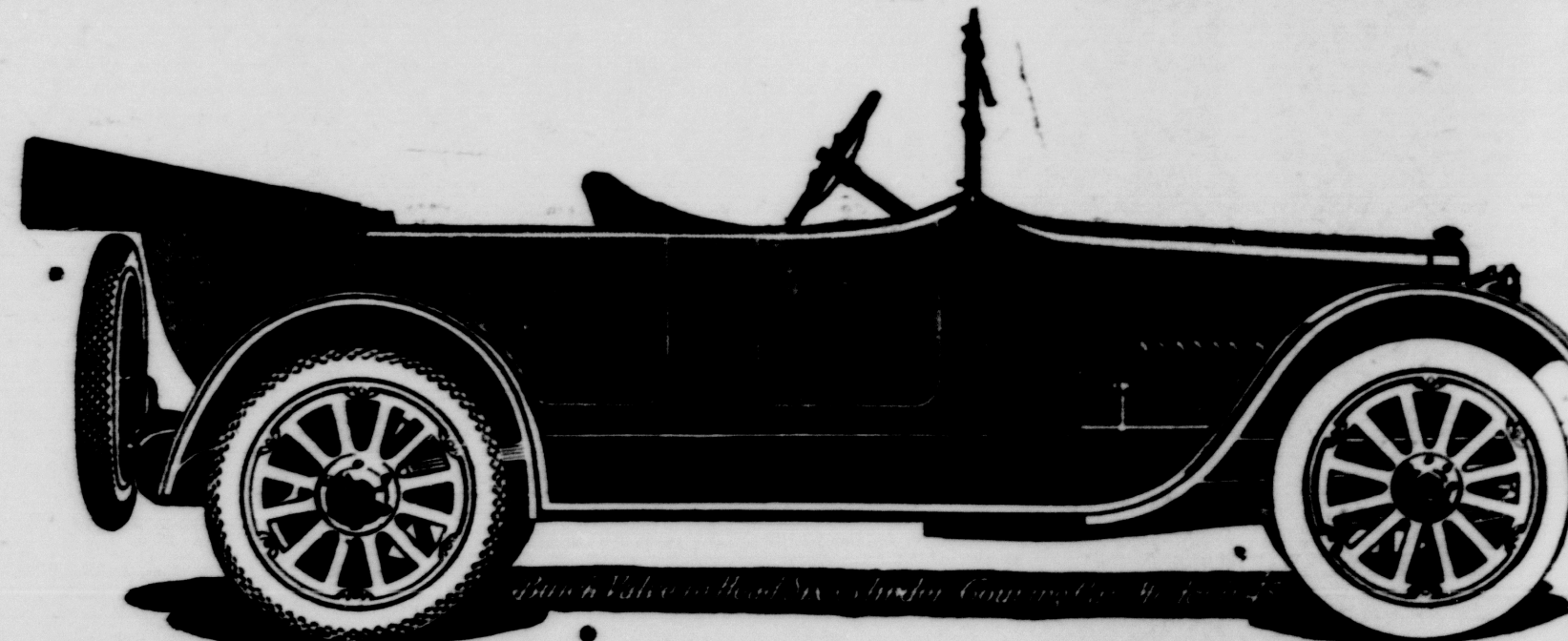
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